

Section 13-708

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1991 Replacement Volume and 1991 Supplement)

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SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

**Article - Estates and Trusts**

13-101.

(B) "CLASSIFICATION OF ABODE" MEANS ONE OF THE FOLLOWING TYPES OF ABODE LICENSED OR CERTIFIED BY A STATE AGENCY:

(1) RELATED INSTITUTIONS UNDER § 19-101 OF THE HEALTH - GENERAL ARTICLE;

(2) PRIVATE OR PUBLIC GROUP HOMES UNDER § 7-601 OF THE HEALTH - GENERAL ARTICLE;

(3) CARE HOMES UNDER ARTICLE 88A, § 138 OF THE CODE;

(4) ADULT FOSTER CARE HOMES UNDER ARTICLE 88A, §§ 3(A) AND 5 OF THE CODE; OR

(5) SENIOR ASSISTED HOUSING FACILITIES UNDER ARTICLE 70B, § 4(A)(1) OF THE CODE.

13-708.

(a) The court may grant to a guardian of a person only those powers necessary to provide for the demonstrated need of the disabled person.

(b) Subject to subsection (a) of this section, the rights, duties, and powers which the court may order include, but are not limited to:

(1) The same rights, powers, and duties that a parent has with respect to an unemancipated minor child, except that the guardian is not liable solely by reason of the guardianship to third persons for any act of the disabled person;

(2) The right to custody of the disabled person and to establish his place of abode within and without the State, provided there is court authorization for any change in THE CLASSIFICATION OF abode, except that no one may be committed to a mental facility without an involuntary commitment proceeding as provided by law;